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Department of Corporations
Department of Financial Institutions
California Highway Patrol
California Housing Finance Agency
Department of Housing & Community Development

Department of Motor Vehicles
Department of Real Estate
Office of Real Estate Appraisers
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Office of Traffic Safety
Department of Transportation (Caltrans)

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TRAFFIC SAFETY PROJECTS ANNOUNCED FOR LOS ANGELES/ORANGE COUNTIES

\$8.2 million for 32 grant projects announced at state-sponsored summit

San Diego – Maria Contreras-Sweet, Secretary of the State's Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, today announced the start of 32 grant projects – totaling \$8.2 million – for fiscal year 2000 in the Los Angeles/Orange counties region.

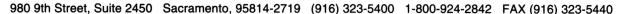
Secretary Contreras-Sweet made the announcement at "Super Summit 2000," the country's largest state-sponsored traffic safety conference, which is being held this week in San Diego by the State Office of Traffic Safety. More than 800 traffic safety professionals and advocates, law enforcement, and community based organization representatives are attending the event.

For the entire state, Secretary Contreras-Sweet announced the official start of 186 projects, totaling \$31 million dollars for traffic safety. The announcement comes on the heels of the Traffic Congestion Relief Plan that was introduced by Governor Gray Davis earlier this month.

"Increasing the safety of California's motorists, passengers and pedestrians is among the Governor's top transportation priorities," said Secretary Contreras-Sweet, the keynote speaker today at the 15th annual Super Summit.

The Office of Traffic Safety – within the Business, Transportation and Housing Agency – administers the California Traffic Safety Program, which is designed to reduce deaths, injuries and property damage that result from traffic accidents. Activities include development of the California Highway Safety Plan; administration of funds to state and local governmental entities in the form of federal grants; and coordinating statewide traffic safety programs and activities.

A list of the region's grant projects and the dollar amounts is attached.





Proposals for FFY 2000

OTS Region	Proposal <u>Number</u>	<u>Agency</u>	Total <u>Recommended</u>				
6 - Los Angeles/Orange Counties Region							
	AL0008	Los Angeles County Superior Court DUI Educational Program	\$ 75,000.00				
	AL0013	Orange County Sheriff/Coroner Dept. Forensic Breath Alcohol Program	393,000.00				
	AL0016	San Fernando Police Department Safer Streets Community Outreach Program	70,000.00				
	AL0027	Orange Co. Department of Education Teen Driver Awareness Program Featuring Every 15 Minutes	360,737.00				
	AL0028	El Segundo Police Department POALAC Traffic Committee and California Traffic Safety Institute (AVOID THE 50)	500,000.00				
	AL0030	Los Angeles Mayor's Office (CJPO) Project RADD (Recording Artists, Actors and Athletes Against Drunk Driving)	800,000.00				
	PS0001	Beverly Hills Police Department Beverly Hills Police Selective Enforcement and Safety Education Program	140,000.00				
	PS0012	Garden Grove Comprehensive Pedestrian & Vehicle Occupant Safety Program	180,000.00				
	PS0013	Irvine Police Department School Zone Traffic Management 2000	172,000.00				
	PS0015	Long Beach Unified School District Traffic Safety Plan for Schools	36,000.00				
	PS0016	Los Angeles City Transportation Dept. Traffic Safety Tip Distribution Program	15,000.00				

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6 - Los Angeles/Orange Counties Region							
	PS0017	Los Angeles Unified School District City of Los Angeles "Pedestrian Routes to School" Maps	126,744.00				
	PS0026	Paramount Bike Rite	117,000.00				
	PS0030	Santa Monica "Walkable Westside" Campaign for Pedestrian and Driver Safety	176,000.00				
	PS0039	Los Angeles County Health Dept. Los Angeles "Make Children Traffic Safe" Program	1,000,000.00				
	PT0003	Bell Gardens Police Department Traffic Offender Program	149,559.00				
	PT0012	Costa Mesa Police Department DUI Enforcement and Speed Reduction Program	77,069.00				
	PT0019	Garden Grove Neighborhood Traffic Safety Program	35,899.00				
	PT0029	La Habra Police Department C.L.A.S. (Court Liaison Aide Support) Proposal	235,780.00				
	PT0032	Long Beach Police Department SCOFFLAW Program - Targeting Suspended/Revoked Drivers	575,340.00				
	PT0036	Montebello Police Department Traffic Offender Program Strategy (TOPS)	138,836.00				
	PT0043	Orange County Sheriff's Office Traffic Violator Apprehension (TVA) Program	369,573.00				

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6 - Los Angeles/Orange Counties Region						
	PT0049	Pomona Police Department Traffic Offender Program	624,886.00			
	PT0057	Santa Monica Police Department "Removing Irresponsible Drivers" (RID) Program	204,898.00			
	RS0004	Buena Park Traffic Information Management System	48,000.00			
	RS0005	Burbank Geographic Information System (GIS) Based Collision Records and Analysis System and Safety Improvement Program	49,000.00			
	RS0017	Glendale Computerized Collision Database Analysis System	110,000.00			
	RS0030	San Fernando Geographic Information System (GIS) Based Collision Records and Analysis System	50,000.00			
	RS0031	San Gabriel High Collision Analysis Program	32,000.00			
	SA0001	Los Angeles Dept. of Recreation & Parks Los Angeles Safe Community Project.	153,285.00			
	SA0002	Los Angeles Co. Dept. of Health Srvcs. Pasadena Safe Communities Coalition	733,424.00			
	SA0009	University of California, Irvine CALSAFE Orange County	500,000.00			
		Sub-Total Region 6	\$8,249,030.00			